Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, The South Dakota PTA was established in 1915 as a branch of the National PTA and has been an advocate for America's children; and,

WHEREAS, The South Dakota PTA has been instrumental in supporting compulsory public education including kindergarten, establishing the juvenile justice system, starting hot lunch programs in schools, and field testing the salk polio vaccine that eliminated polio; and,

WHEREAS, The South Dakota PTA is leading the fight against drug and alcohol abuse by youth, speaking out for adequate funding for public education, and working to reduce the #1 killer of young children -- auto accidents -- by promoting the use of safety belts and child restraints; and,

WHEREAS, Through the PTA, parents and teachers together are carrying out programs to improve the lives, health, and safety of our nation's children and to help them become productive citizens in our democratic society; and,

WHEREAS, The South Dakota PTA continues its tradition of striving for excellence in education and assuring that access to excellence is open to all children; and,

WHEREAS, Every recent study on excellence in education has found that one of the major factors that makes a school effective is the degree of parent and community involvement, and PTA helps parents play a constructive role in the schools and take an active part in their children's education:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim October and November, 1985, as

PTA MEMBERSHIP MONTHS

in South Dakota, and I urge all officers and members of the South Dakota Congress of Parent and Teachers across the State to put forth their best efforts in gaining new members for each PTA unit in South Dakota and in chartering new units in school communities without PTA units.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fifth Day of September, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Five

WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE

By: Jay D. Vogt
Jay D. Vogt, Deputy

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA - BUREAU OF ADMINISTRATION - OFFICE OF RECORDS MANAGEMENT - CERTIFICATE OF AUTHENTICITY
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